FENANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL Wall street has had within the last twenty four hours a fresh demonstration of the extraor dinary risk that speculators take in basing their operations upon reports and rumors regarding the Street was confident that the Presiden would send to Congress to-day a strong, that is a disturbing, message relative to the apparent ly strained diplomatic relations between the United States and Spain. Wall street, unfor tunately for its own interest, is not familia with the methods of international diplomacy but is supersensitive to the breath of every tol ramor. The Street, therefore, was rather taken by surprise this morning by the announcemen s the Spanish Ministry had done exactly what the Government at Washington had expected i to do. The news that a possible severance of diplomatic relations between the two countries had been averted was somewhat of a shock to many dealers in stocks, and to others it was doubtless a grievous disappointment. It changed a good many calculations, and in consequence the market for fully an hour after the opening reflected an unusual degree of hesi Then as the speculative community had deceived itself in taking a gloomy view of the stocks sold for both accounts yesterday

The first decisive movement was in New York Central, and it soon extended to C., B. and Quincy, to Manhattan Railway, and finally the improvement became general, C., B. and Quincy wed to be the leader of the market in respec to activity. It was bought on an exten-sive scale on the belief that the quarterly dividend which should be declared to-morrow will be larger than those clared for some years past. The strength and activity in C., B. and Quincy influenced the market for the entire Granger group. A net advance of 2 points in Manhattan Railway was generally construed as indicative of progress toward an agreement between the company and the Rapid Transit Commission. Brooklyn Rapid Transit was also exceptionally strong at a net advance of 1 \$\sigma\$ cent., a movement that is explained by the increase in the company's traffic returns resulting from the facilities it has acquired in crossing the Brooklyn Bridge. On the other hand, Metropolitan Railway was exceptionally heavy, and was one of the few stocks that closed lower than yesterday. There was also a natural falling off in the volume of trading. Other noteworthy movements were in Consolidated Gas, which jumped up more than 5 points; Missouri, Kansas and Texas preferred, the market for which was favorably affected by reports of an alliance with the C., B. and Quincy Company; Western Union and Northern Pacific preferred On comparatively light transactions People's Gas recovered two-thirds of the quarterly dividend of 119 8 cent. that was deducted from the price of the stock at the opening this morning. Unusual activity in Minneapolis and St. Louis

issues, particularly the common stock, gave color to reports that the control of the company is being sought for by one of the larger lines with which the road connects. The possibilities of the property, as suggested by its traffic returns and by the cost of eration since the reorganization, have quite likely directed attention to the property that heretofore had not been accorded it. Of the usually less active stocks Pullman's Palace Car, Third Avenue Railroad, St. Louis and San Francisco first preferred. Norfolk and Western preferred and Minnesota Iron were conspicuous, and, with the exception of the last named, they closed materially higher than yesterday. In Minnesota Iron there was an unusually heavy selling order that de-pressed the price 112 points. In the outside market American Malting stocks attained prominence at advancing prices, partly because arrangements have practically been completed sferring the dealings in them to the floor of the Stock Exchange. The closing was strong, at slight reactions from the best prices

Work Stock Exchange-Sales Peb. 15. UNITED STATES AND STATE BONDS (IN \$1,000s) 25 Va P deb 2-3s 30 Va 6s def, trs 4% of 1991 714

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10870	AMSR	139	1394	138%	138%	139
805	Am SRp.	113	1134	118	113	1134
100	Am 8 M.	84	84	84	84	84
10	AmSMp	204	204	204	204	
•35	A Cable	91%	91%	914	91	
	Am Tob.					
120	AmTobp	118	118	118	117	
210	Am Ex	130	130	126	116	
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-	S Fe p	814	81%	314	315	31%
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460 Balt & O	174	174	17	17	17
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10410 Br'k R T	40%	41%	40%	41	41
186 B Un G.			122		123
850 Can So			554		
932 Can Pao.	884	884	87%	884	884
200 Con Ice.	34	344	34	33%	34
290 C Ice p	90	91	90	89	90
1400 Ch Gt W	13%	13%	134	13%	13
2096 Cheat O	234	23%	234	234	23
27 C & Alt.	1644	1644	1644	165	168

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42770 C, B & Q102	102%	1015	1024	1024
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1015 C.LAW	16%	16%	16%	16	1
800 C.LAWD	49	49%	49	494	4
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1015 C,L&W	10%	16%	15%	16	16'
800 C.LAWD	49	49%	49	494	49
8725 Con Gas. 1	895	194	1884	193	193
BOU C, IAL p.	31%	31%	31%	314	32
570 D& Hud.	112	113	112	1114	112
100 DM & FD	14%	14%	14%	145	15
20 Erie R R					
1481 Erie latp	42	424	42	424	42
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Brook1	10	110	110	108	110
100 EAT H	23	23	23	214	25
42 FW ADOs	23	25	23	_	
100 F & P M	14	14	14	13%	14
10 G B & W	313	814	314	30	40
100 Gt Nor p1	55	155	165	156	159
2670 Gen Eleo	374	38%	375	38	38
2500 Hawai'n					
C S	344	364	34%	36	36
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	C S	344	364	34%	36	36
1485	IllCent.]	1044	105%	1044	1054	105
100	Ia Con p	83	88	83	334	33
288	LEAWP	744	75	74%	744	75
859	Lake Sh	191	1924	191	1914	192
	Lacl Gas					
9616	Lou & N	594	60	595	59%	60
10880	Man Con	1184	1174	115%	1174	117
100	Mor L C.	145%	1454	1454	1454	145
	Min Iron					
11160	MetStRy	1634	1644	160%	1614	162
1110	Mich C ?	113	1134	113	112	113
9590	MARL	28	31	28	804	30
	MASLL					

Spho M W St F	28	31	28	80%	3(
405 M & St L					
lat pf	87	884	87	88	81
2500 M & St L				-	-
2d pf	574	594	874	595	6
1665 No Pac	324	335	324	334	3:
705 Mo.KAT	13	134	12%	134	1:
5745 M.KATP	37	39%	37	38%	31
50 Mob & O	314	315	314	314	3
1590 N J Cent			954		
17186 N Y Cent]		118%	117%	1184	111
985 NatLead	85	35%	35	35%	3
318 Nat L4 p1	100	109	109	1084	10
11 NYANH 1	04	104	104	104	10

228 Nat L4 p	109	109	109	1084	1094
11 NYANH.	194	194	194	194	196
ENY, CA					200
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W pf	364	364	364	36	364
*7055 N & W p	534	54%	5310	544	
4865 Nor Pac.	26%	26%	264	264	
12395 N Pac p.	664	67	65%		
950 Ont & W	17	175	17	17%	174
605 Ore 1mp					
5th t p	284	29	284	28%	204
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605	Ore Imp					
	5th 1 p	284	29	284	28%	29
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2800	Ore SL.	245	255	244	25%	25
1275	Pac Mall	314	32	314	31%	32
800	Peo, Deo				1020	1.77
	& Ev	1%	1%	1%	14	1 1
1464	PulPalC1	85	187	185	1864	186
860	P.C.CA					
	RIT	48	4 6 1.	4.6	441	

& Ev	1%	14	14	134	1.4
1464 PulPalC1					
860 P.C. C.					
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St Lp	70	71	70	704	71
5905 PennRR1	18%	1194	1184	1184	1185
5615 People's			200		
G & C	964	97	964	965	96%
580 Reading	214	214	214		914

				1104	
5615 People's			200		
G&C	964	97	964	96%	96
580 Reading	215	214	214	214	214
2270 Read 1 p	50%	615	50%	514	514
500 Read 2p	274	27%	274	27	271
10 Rens & 8	184	184	184	176	_
6 81 L 8 W	4	4	4	4	44
50 StP& Dp	88	88	88	86	88
1850 St P & O.	774	78	774	77%	784
510 Bo Ry	9%	94	94	9%	94
2190 So Ry p.	824	324	324	324	325
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p. 824	324	324	324	32%
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SF 74	75	74	7%	74
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1750	TCAL.	244	25	244	24%	
2061	SdAVRR1	904	194	1904	192	194
939	Twin C				7.77	
	RT	20	20	20	20	22
5810	Tex Pac.	124	12%	124	124	
5486	Un Par.	344	345		34%	(TO 100 1)
10289	UnPac p	613	61%	6114	61%	615
20	US Ex	44	44	44	42	45
8005	U S Bub.	20%	21%	20		
8377	USRubp	78	74%	724		734
10	U 8 L	7	7	7	7	73
1510	USLp.	65%	65%	65%	65%	
210	Wabash.	7	73	7	7	7.5
300	Wab p	184	18%	185	18%	185
	W.FEx.1			7.7	115	121
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10 W & L E.	81.4	924	914	924	02%	
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Ros & Alb	224	225	Gen Elec p.,	95	-
Hos & M		159	Bos & Mon.	180%	181
Chie J com.	118	119	Cal & Hecla	530	-
Fitchburg p	99	99%	Osceola	434	43
New Eng p.	914	94	Quincy M	114	116
Mex Cen 4s	664	68	Tam Min	1585	159
Old Colony.	192	1924	Butte	26%	27
WER com.	83%	844	BUG 1st	-	96
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Am Bell Tel	-	2694	Boston El	60%	60
West Elec	24	25			
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Am Str'bd	32	324	L8t"L" etfa	114	-
Canal & D.,	63	64	N Ch St Ry	225	229
Chie Brew.	-	8	So Side "L"	694	60
Ch Brew pf	31	-	St Stable C.	21	21%
City R'way.	243	244	W Ch St Ry	994	_
Dlam'd M	1435	144	N Biscutt e	26%	_
Lake St"L"	145	14%	N Biscuit p	85%	85%
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Atchison, a	a p	13%	Northern P	scific	274
Atchison pi		334	Northern Pe	wifte pt.	67%
Canadian P.	acific	90	Ontario & W	est	184
Chesapeaks	& Ohio.	24%	Pennsylvan		61%
Erie con, a a	p	15%	fleading, 1st	s p	114
Erie 1st pf		434	Reading 1st	pt	26
Illinois Cent	ral	1084	St Paul		984

Kansas & Texas 13%		
Lake Shore 196	South Railway pf	334
Louisville & Nash. 61%	Union Pacific	35
New York Central. 121	Wabash pf	194
Norfolk & W pf. n 554		1000
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A,T&SFep	315	31%	Met St By]	63%	162
Am S Ref 1	384	138%	Nat Lead	35	35
Am S Ref p. 1	12%	1134	Nat Lead p. 1	109	109
Am Tob	91	92	Nort & W p	53%	54
Am Sp M	84	84	N W com 1	275	128
Brook R T	404		N Pac com.		20
Can South.	544	554	N Pac pf	66%	66
Can Pac	875	884	NY Cent 1	17	118
C,C,C & StL					90
C, B & Q 1	014	1025	Omaha com	76%	77
Cen Gas 1	RB	1934	Ont & W	17%	
Ches & O	234	234	Pac Mail	314	32
Ch 0 W	13%	134	Peo G & C	97%	96
CLLAW.			Pull P Car. 1		
Del. & Hud. 1	12	112			
Erie 1st p	414	424	Reading		21
Gen Elec	37	384	Read 1st pf	504	
Gt North p. 1	544	155	St P com	94%	25
Illinois Cen 1					149
Kan & Tex.	124	134	So R'way	94	
Kan & Tpf.	364	384	So R'way p	324	32
Lou & Nash	594	60	Texas Pac	12	12
Lake Shore 1	92	1914	TC. I & R	244	24
LEA Wpt	73	75	I'n Pac	33%	34
Laclede Gas	445	43%	Un Pac D	60%	61
Manh Con 1					20
Mich Cent. 1			C S Eub p		73
Minn & St L					
MASIL 2d p					
Mo Pac					
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Mo Pac 32% 334 W Un Tel. 914 92%
Government bonds firmer. The 4s c, of 1907
and the 4s of 1925 closed is \$ cent, higher bid,
the 5s closed 4 & cent. higher bid. Railway and
other bonds strong. The features were Brooklyn
Rapid Transit 5s. Chesapeake and Ohio general
Alex Colorado Midland Jata ta Detroit Con
41es, Colorado Midland 1sts, t. r., Detroit Gas
5s. Kansas and Texas 2ds, Oregon Short Line consol 5s, Oregon Improvement 5s, 5th 4. p.,
Peoria and Eastern 1sts, Southern Pacific of
Arizona 1sts, San Antonio and Aransas Pass 4s.
Texas Pacific 2ds, Union Pacific 4s, Union Pa-
olfie Denver and Gulf late t w West
Shore As Wiscornia Central late William
cific, Denver and Guif 1sts, t. r West Shore 4s, Wisconsin Central 1sts, Wilkes- barre and Eastern 1sts, Atchison, Erie.
Vances Deates Misseud Deates North-
Kansas Pacific, Missouri Pacific, Northern Pacific, Standard Rope and Twine, and
Wahash ferres The more and Twine, and
Wabash issues. The more important net advances were in Atchison adj. 4s, ½ ₹ cent., to
634; Brooklyn Rapid Transit 5s, 1, to 96;
Chesapeake and Ohio general 41gs, 5g, to 843;
Colorado Midland 1sts, t. r., 1, to 68; Detroit Gas
5s. 12. to 1001g; Erie prior bonds, 14. to 9214, and
general lien 3.4s to 74let Cannas Darties Den
general lien 3-4s, 5s, to 741c; Kansas Pacific, Den- yer div., as., t. r., 114, to 1301c, and consols, t. r.,
% to 114%: Kansas and Texas 2ds, % to 63%:
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Missouri Pacific consols, 1, to 100, and Trust
5s, 4, to 79; Northern Pacific general 3s, 19, to 63; Oregon Short Line consols, 7s, to
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101; Oregon Improvement 5s, 5th i. p., 1, to 6212; Peoria and Eastern 1sts, 4, to 7814;
Southern Pacific of Arizona 1sts, 1, to 104;
San Antonio and Aransas Pass. 4, to 62; Stand-
and Rome and Twine fix 31 to 611 and incomes
ard Rope and Twine 6s, 34, to 614, and incomes, 24, to 15; Texas Pacific 2ds, 1, to 34; Union
Pacific 4s, 4, to 947a; Union Pacific, Denver
and Gulf late t. r. le to 57le: Webash late le to
and Gulf 1sts, t. r., ½, to 57½; Wabash 1sts, ¼, to 1095s, and 2ds, ½, to 82½; West Shore 4s, ¼, to
1104; Wisconsin Central 1sts, t. r., 14, to
4419, and Wilkesbarre and Eastern 1sts, 58 W
cent., to 1011s.

cent., to 1011g.
In bank stocks 126 shares of Bank of North America sold at 1354, and 21 shares of Trades- men's at 110.
Commercial price of bar silver in New York, 557sc. Bar silver in London closed at 2513-16d, Mexican silver dollars were quoted at 454c. Exports to Europe to-morrow, 582,000 ounces.
Money on call 14@14 \$\psi\$ cent. Time money is quoted: Sixty days 22 \$\psi\$ cent., three months 22 \$\psi\$ cent., four and five months 3 \$\psi\$ cent., and eight months 32 \$\psi\$ cent. on good mixed Slock Exchange collateral. Commercial paper is quoted: Prime indorsed bills receivable at 3@34 \$\psi\$ cent., prime single names at 3@34 \$\psi\$ cent., and good names at 3\psi 34 \$\psi\$ cent.
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good names at 312 34 ¥ cent.
Sterling exchange was again lower, particular
larly for demand and cable transfers, which
were offered freely. Continued shipments
securities to London have a depressing influence
on the market. Continental exchange was du
and weak. Posted asking rates for sterling ar
Sixty days, \$4.84, and sight, \$4.8612. Actua
rates are: Long bills. \$4.83@\$4.834; sight draft
\$4.854@\$4.8519, and cable transfers, \$4.8519
\$4.85%. Francs are quoted at 5.21% #5.21% fo
long and 5.205s@5.20 for short; reichsmark
9412@945a for long and 95@951a for short; gui
ders. 40 3-16@404 for long and 40 1-16@40

for short.	
@1212 cents discount, discount; selling, 1-	on New York: Boston-16 Charleston-Buying, 1-16 16 premium, Savanneh- 1-10 premium, New Or
leans-Bank, par; c	ommercial, \$1 discount
Ban Francisco-Sight	. 20 cents premium asked
telegraph, 2219 cents	premium, St. Louis-25
cents bid, offered at 1	5 cents discount. Chicago
-40 cents discou	nt. Cincinnati-Between
banks, 25 cents disco	unt, and over counter, 50
cents premium.	The second secon
Glucose Sugar Refi	ning common is quoted at

ard Oil Trust certificat	es closed at	130-24201
American Malting at	28 # 283t A	nd preferre
at 79@794; Standard	Gas comm	on at 144
147, and the preferre	d at 160@1	65: Mutu
Gas at 330-3340; Syr	acuse Gas at	2019@211
Equitable Gas at 223a	226; East I	liver Gas
82483, and the prefers	ed at 120@15	2229.
The weekly statem	ent of aver-	ages of th
banks of New York	city, Brook	lyn. Jerse
City, Hoboken, and S	taten Island	which a
not members of the No	ew York Cle	aring Hou
Association, but which	clear throu	gh some
the members, is as foll	0W5:	me
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vestments 4	59.005.600	\$58,706,500	Dec #854 1
irculation	1,856,000	1.869.900	Ino. 6.1
et deposits	65,331,000		Dec1,162,
ep. with (!.	2000		manage name
H. agents	9,249,200	8,855,300	Dec. 893,1
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trust co's	3,453,800	5.544.600	Inc. 110,8
egal tender &	, meanarmar.		
bank notes .	8,781,100	8,784,600	Inc. 5.5
pecie	8,177,500	3,091,300	
Total res've.	19,041,600	\$15,777.800	Dec #503 6
Reserve req'd.	16,802,750	16,042,125	Dec. 290,6
Surp. res've.	\$3,908,550	82,785,675	Dec.4578.1
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alway Tork	TOT LINE W	cek ending	to-day we
alued at \$	7,818,861,	against z	9,500.970
De preceding	week and	\$6,616,125	Jan. 1. \$5

ng period last year.
The Canadian Pacific Railroad Company has leclared semi-annual dividends of 2½ ¥ cent. on its common stock and 2 ¥ cent. on its pre- erred stock, payable April 1.
The Third Avenue Railroad Company has de- clared a quarterly dividend of 2 # cent., payable feb. 28.
The Mexican Northern Railroad Company has lectared a quarterly dividend of 1 \$ cent., paya- dle March 2.
The American Coal Company has declared a semi-annual dividend of 4 \$\psi\$ cent., payable March 1.
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	Prov s.	********	##X34	4.05	1.7	Dec.	\$2,76B,	17

70	cattle & hogs.\$106.962,041 \$94,369,335 Inc. \$12,592,706	day, sustained by local buying. The European cables were lower, but were offset by higher Braziltan cables.
ì	For fire months of fiscal year: C'Un bis. 4,822,101 4,838,733 Inc. 513,368 C'Un val.\$145,761,210 2102,317,902 Drc. \$16,556,692	The Woodson Spice Company reduced prices be in some of the Western States. The cut was met by Arbuckle Bros.
	Total exports of domestic products for the seven months of the fiscal year ended Jan. 31: \$474,348,029, against \$423,006.847 the previous	METALS—Iron was quiet. Spot, February and March, 46.504.56.70. Copper was firm. Spot, 11.20g11.30c.: February and March, 11.25g11.35c. The production for the month of February, as per Metal Exchange re-
	year.	turns, was 17,744 tons, against 17,637 tons last year. Lead was quieter. Spot and February, 3,806,8,85c. Tin was firm. Spot and February, 14,00,14,10c.

3	The state of the s
	Customs, \$736,564; internal revenue, \$190,963, and miscellaneous, \$10,193, a total of \$337,720. The disbursements were \$1,278,000, an excess of expenditures over receipts of \$340,260. The receipts of the fiscal year to date have been \$261,327,253, and the expenditures \$270,024,570, an excess of receipts over expenditures of \$8,697,317.
	The official count of the cash in the Treasury at the close of business to-day compared with that of yesterday shows:

34	United States notes Other assets less demand	27,442,645	27,036,289
	liabilities	5,517,568	6,896,022
t.	Available cash balance, including gold reserve.\$	218,910,150	\$219,811,967
١,	Money in London, 2 count in open market months' bills, 2% w ce 3 w cents at 103 francs on London, 25 francs 25	for both sho nt. Paris a 60 centimes	ort and three dvices quote

Gold coin and bullion... \$165,916,644 \$160,162,066

4	3 V cents at 103 francs 60 centimes. Exchange on London, 25 francs 25 centimes.
40	The Protective Committee, representing stockholders of the Electro-Preumatic Com- pany, announces that as a majority of the
'n	stock has been deposited with the Manhattan Trust Company under the agreement of Jan. 19 additional deposits will not be received after
4	Feb. 28, except upon payment of a penalty of 10 cents a share in addition to the 20 cents a share called for in the protective agreement.
	The sales of mining stocks at the New York Consolidated Stock and Petroleum Exchange to-

1	day were as follows	Open-	High-	Lose	Clo
ļ	Sales, Name.	mg.	est.	est.	in
Ì	12000 Albany		.02	.01	.0
	1100 Creede & C Ck	.04	.04	.04	.0
	250 DeadwoodTerra	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.0
l	300 Iron Silver	.45	.45	.45	.4
ı	500 Little Chief	.16	.16	.16	.1
ı	200 Sierra Nevada	7.75	.75	.75	.7
ı	500 Standard	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.6

Total sales, 15.150 sharss. COMMERCIAL COMPEND.

TUESDAY, Feb. 15.-GRAIN-Wheat-Spot was rather more active. The sales were 113,000 bush., including 16,000 No. 2 red, 16,000 No. 1 Northern spring here, 80,000 No. 2 hard winter at the outports on private terms for export, and 1,000 No. 2 red in elevator at 1021gc. Free on board affoat: No. 1 Northern spring, New York, 1083c.; do. Duluth, 1107c.; No. 2 red. 1045gc.; No. 1 hard Duluth, 1117gc.; No. 1 hard Manitoba, 1103sc. Minneapolis received to-day 176,790 bush., against 134,320 last year; Duluth 41,825, against 40,418; Chicago 48,674, against 21,475; Milwaukee 38,350, against 23,400; St. Louis 17,000, against 12,710; Toledo 14,936, against 5,550; Detroit 8,979, against 6,275 last year. Futures advanced 4c, to 4c. Future sales 5,355,000 bush., as follows:

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111111111111111111111111111111111111111	Pebruary	****	****	1031	Night.
a	March 1083	1034	108	10312	10234
)]	May 08-2	9930	9814	9:57	0814
ŝ	July 1049	91	601	9019	9014
CALLED AND CO.	Barley-Was sten cost and fre ght to Rye-Wss firm. N aficat, Corn-Spo bush, including 2: mixed on private port. No. 2 mixed advanced 1gc. Futi	Buffalo a o. 2 West t was firm 1,000 No. terms fr , 86 4638	t opening ern, 584 n. The s 2 white ee on book theo, in el	c., free or ales were and H.000 and affoat evator.	gation. a board 32,000 0 No. 2 for ex- Futures

Opening, Highest, Lowest, Closing, Night,

	2223 CONTRACTOR	Barrels.	Sack
	Receipts	15.498	28,27
	Exports	2,292	14,52
	Winter in bbis : Superfine, \$		
١	tra, \$3.40@83.60; straights.	0.0000000,20;	No. 2 ex
	\$4.70965.95. Spring in bbls.	\$4.40(5\$4.00	patent
1	straights, \$1.60m84.85; paten	Clours, St.	2016 54.40
1	Fred Was stands but paten	ta, 80,12018;	3.80. Mil
	Feed-Was steady but quiet	western	spring, 1
ı	100-b. sncks, \$15@\$15.25; 1 in bulk, \$15@\$17.	00-E" \$1T.	0; winte
ı	Company Sport wetten have		Section
1	Corrox-Spot cotton here wa	a unchanger	no sales
١	Middling uplands, 64c., again	181 7 1-10c.	last year
1	New Orleans and Gulf, 65c.,	with the A.	-Inc. Ina
ı	year. The Southern spot mar	sets were a	tendy and
ı	unchanged. New Orleans sold	4,000, Au	tusia 839
١	Norfolk 387, Mobile 300, Savar	man 128, and	1 St. Loui
1	67 bales. Liverpool declin d	1 5xd. on the	spot with
1	sales of 8,000 bales; futures	there decline	d 24 to 1
١	pants, closing barely steady.	in Manches	ter yarn
ı	were quiet and firm; cloths	in moderate	demand
ł	The receipts at the principal i	nterior town	is were a
1	follows: Las	t Lant	

The receipts at the pri	neipsi inte	rior towns	were :
follows:	Last	Last	an area o
Te-Day.	Week.	Year.	152
Augusta 659	1.382	159	16
Memphis1,890	2,954	398	0.5
St. Louis 328	520	160	4.5
Cincinnati,1,539	3,000	8,483	1,14
Houston 8,141	P.677	0.871	3,45
The shipments from Au			
Memphis 1,430, St. Lou	Left dest Co	y were 1,2	74 Date
Houston 6,35% bales. Ho	15 0,000, 01	memmati i,	GOT, AD
to 3,000 bales, again-t	usumexpe	cts to-morr	OW 2, 50
year, and 2,066 in 1895.	4,010 100	week, 1,	OOB IN
row 11,000 to 13,000, a	New Orle	ans expect	to-mo
last week and 7 days to	Catholic Torin	DO IREL WEL	E. D. 12
last year, and 7,638 in	1000. 110	horr recel	ple wer
52.514 bates, mrainst !	ID, MIM IRSI	Week, 15.	gus la
year, and 14,006 in 189	o; thus far	this week	119,65
against 107,983 thus	far last w	ck. The	expor
from the ports appro-	ximated :	10,000 bale	s. Ne
Orleans declined 5 to	7 points,	but recover	red mo
of the loss. Futures h	ere decline	d 4 to 8 po	ints, h:
railled and closed ster	adv. with a	OF COME PROPERTY	Patter He
changed. The sales we	10 145,800	bales. Th	e futur
trading was as follows:		THE PERSON NAMED IN COLUMN	
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5	trading was as follows:	0 148,800	bales. T	he futu
	Closing.	Highest.	Lorest.	Sale
9	February 5.90046.00	5.94	5.94	2
t	March 0.0018	6.00	5.95	10,6
ě	April 6.63@	6.03	5.98	W
1	May	6.08	0.01	47.7
:	June 6.10 a 6.11	0.11	6.05	2.6
	July6.1366.14	0.14	6.08	7.5
1	August6,1766	6.17	6.11	60,3
	September, 6,1868, 17	0.15	6.09	2.30
	October 6.15@6.16	0.15	6.10	9.7
ŧ.	November . 6. 15 a 6.17	6.15	6.12	. 4
0	December, 0.10030.18	61,12	6.12	i
	The trading in cutton to	HAY WAND	moderate	e volun
	and of a good character, prices was downward.	FOR BALL	me the ten	dency
	prices was downward.	The rec	citte at t	he pur
9	were large and induce	d setting	tor Planti	pool at
5	local account. The dow	thward in	overnent v	KW2 BON
31	checked, however. On general and prices rat	the decti	ne buying	Lecan
	clostre conversity and	med and 1	recovered	the los
•	closing generally uncha	DECISE STATE	ty nemera	bough
	commission houses had	toughing ore	ters, and t	he Soul
ı.	bought. The Southern s	DOL MARK	ole Were I	THE WE
,	a good demand and th	e exports	were lar	ge. Ti
1	semi-weekly statement	showing	receipts	almo
	double the 1805 flaures,	and much	o do with	the car
t.	depression. Fall River a	and Manch	ester advi	CER WEI
•	favorable. Advices from	the south	continue	to repo
	small sales of fertitizers	and mules	as compa	red wit
	last year and preparation	us for a c	lecreased.	acreag
Ш	home of the bears conter	to that the	recent ad	vance i
	prices will induce plante	ra to pur	in a full	BUTCHE
91	but a large acrease dues	not insure	a yield as	large a
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	the usual qualities of fer	TITLEFIEL BE	O' IN SORTH	Makes & Con
ш	TOG THOST WITH OUT INLINE	tera in ease	niial to th	e raisin
Ш	PIT BURNE WIT WAS BARREST CLOD!			
	COFFEE-Rio on the ap	or was qui	et but ster	ady: No
ä	1, 9 4 60 %C. Bales 1,000	Dags Mar	acatho on	privat
	terms. The future trad	ing was as	follows:	
3	Soles, His			Total Commen

terms. The future	Losiu Dage	Maracalle	WB:
March fine	anguent.	Lowest.	5.65@5.7
May 500	4010	1000	5,700,5.7
beptember1,250	5.95	5.45	5.60 a 5.4
Futures here closed	0.05		6.000.6.0
Hamburg declined a rele advance; recej 314,600, exchange, was firm at 100 rela 13,000; stock, 805,0 day, sustained by lo- were lower, but were were lower, but were the Woodson Spice (some of the Weste Arbgekie Bros.	of in two 6 of a deces advance; 00. Price al buying. company r on States.	days, 16, cline of 1; receipts 1 s here rule. The Eurosister Braz reduced p. The cut	000; stock 12d Santo n two days red steady to opean cable ditan cables rices be to was met by
METALS—Iron was a	quiet. Spo	Spot 11	and March 20:511.80c. production

Samba'se,; common to good strained rosis, \$1.402 \$1.45.

PROVINCON—Lard was firmer. Prime, \$8.40; city, \$0.683.12's; refined for the Constinent, \$5.05. Pork was strong Mess, \$11.681.125. Out means were firm. Pickled hams, 74c.; do. bellies, 5-650c.; do. shoulders, 43c. Dressed hogs, \$42.65'dc.; Tallow, 35, \$3.11-19c. Butter—Creamery, Western extras. 20c.; drsts, 18619c.; state, conds, 14616. Follow, 5-1617c.; thirds, 14-96. 15'sc.; State, finest, 19c.; firsts, 176.18c.; thirds to seconds, 14616c. Chrees—State, full cream, large famey, 8'sc8'sc.; choice, 8:85'dc.; fair to good, 7'sc7'sc; common, 6'sc5'rc; small colored and white famey, 9:4'dc.; choice, 8:85'dc.; fair to good, 7'sc7'sc; common, 6'sc5'rc; small colored and white famey, 9:4'dc.; choice, 8:4'sc8'dc.; common to good, 7:28. Eggs—Fresh galhered Pennsylvania, famey, 146:14'sc.; Raltimore firsts, 14c. Chicago, Feb. 16.—"Provisions advanced further at the opening, with a very large volume of business. On this advance there was heavy realizing by certrin packers and the general trade, and jackers and pork freely, because it is ruling so much above ribs. The market took this selling well and business was broad and large. The cash demend was again good and shipments for the day large. The outlook is still fur higher values, and we aspecially favor ribs and lard. Estimated receipts of bogs for to-morrow 33,000.

Stoan—Raw was quiet but firm; 89' test, 3 11-16c.; 50' test, 4 5-16;64'qc. Refined was firm and fairly active.

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Stoan—Raw was quiet but firm; 80° test, 3 11-16c; 10° test, 4 3-16g,44c. Refined was firm and fairly active.

Tonacco—The semi-weekly sales were 100 cases, 1895, Fennsylvania seed leaf, at 18c; 50 cases, 1895, do., at 184c; 100 cases, 1895, Zimmers, at 166, 17c; 150 cases sund test the 15c; 150 bales Havana at 70c, 381,100 hood, and 60 bales Sumaira in bond at 60c; 381,80.

Woot-Current quotations of domestic wools, in the grease, based upon Wool Exchange official classifications, are as follows: Texas—Fine and fine medium, 12 months, 166,18c; medium, 12 months, 166,18c; medium spring, 6-8 months, 146,17c; fine and medium spring, 186,16c; fine and medium and fine medium and fine seminary of the seminary of th

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	May July Ribs:	5.25	5.27 ¹ 2 5.35	5.17 ¹ 2 5.27 ¹ 2		5,20 5.27
	May July Pork:	5.371 ₃ 5.421 ₃		5.821 ₉ 5.871 ₉		
	May 81 July 1	11.05	\$11.35 11.35	\$11.05 11.15	\$11.15 11.15	\$10.95 10.97
ij			Live Ste	ck Mark	et.	

New York, Tuesday, Feb. 15.—Receipts of beeves were 650 head; 12 cars to be exported and 25 cars direct to local slaughterers. No trading; feeling steady. Dressed beef steady at 768 by . P. 5. for poor oprime native sides. Cables from British markets quote American steers at 10% (211 by . P. 5., dressed weight; American refrigerated beef at 988 by . Exports to-day 850 beeves, 1,022 sheep, and 2,380 quarters of beef; to-morrow 140 sheep and 4,100 quarters of beef; to-morrow 140 sheep and 4,100 guarters of beef;

quariers of beef.

Receipts of calves, all for the market, were 52 head;
113 head on sale, all told. Nominally steady. City
dressed veals quiet at 8@11c. P m.
Receipts of sheep and lambs, all for the market,
were 161 head; 1½ cars on sale, all told. Feeling
firm all around. A bunch of prime sheep brough
\$4.90 \nomega\$ 100 hs. Dressed mutton, 7@Sc. P h.; dressed
lambs, 7\nomega\$ 200 head.

Beal Estate Private Sales.

Douglas Bobinson & Co. have sold since Feb. 1 over \$420,000 worth of Improved property, as follows: No. 40 West Fifty-third street, 25x60, two-story ding-room extension, lot 100; also No. 11 East Sixty-second street, 25x60, three-story extension, lot 100; also No. 11 East Sixty-second street, 20x60, dining-room extension, lot 100; also No. 5 East Sixty-sixtis street, 25x60, extension, lot 100; also No. 5 East Sixty-sixtis street, 25x60, extension, lot 100; also No. 7 East Sixty-sixtis street, 22x60, extension, lot 100; also No. 37 East Fifty-third street, corner of Park avenue, 16-x55, extension, lot 50, at a price between \$20,000 and \$25,000.

Heliner & Wolf have sold to George W. Levy Nos. 15 and 20 East Seventeenth street. Mr. Levy will improve No. 20 by erecting an eight story fireproof store and loft building, 25x78, total cost \$180,000.

Ogden & Clarkson have sold for Mary A. Glichrist No. 386 West Fortieth street, a private dwelling, on lot 104x95.9.

The Frank L. Fisher Company has sold for Killaen Van Renselaer to S. S. Carvatto the southwest corner of Eighty-fifth street and West End avenue, a four-story dwelling, on lot 30.2x34, for about \$40,000.

Terence Farley's Sons have sold No. 350 West

ner of Eighty-fifth street and West End avenue, a four-story dwelling, on lot 30.2x34, for about \$40,000.

Terence Farley's Sons have sold No. 350 West Eighty-seventh street, a private dwelling, 20x60x 100, for \$34,000.

Michael Feeney has sold No. 14 West 134th street, a five-story brownstone flat house, on a lot 25x98.11.

Mr. Feeney takes in part payment No. 143 West 132d street, a three-story brownstone dwelling, on lot 18x98.11.

Lowenfeld & Prager have purchased from Michael T. Burke, 25x190, with old buildings, at the northwest corner of Oliver and Cherry streets, and from Louis Knopping, 41x105.10, at Nos. 848 and 350 Kest Third street.

The Ernst Marx-Nathan Commany sold to F. Robinson, builder, No. 352 Mott avenue, about 500 feet north of 138th street, 75x157x78x142, who will build three houses. The same firm has purchased of Lucius Stanton, 100x250, Sherman avenue, 10x10x10.

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Sanda Amsterdam and Sherman avenues, 10x10x10.

Nagle avenue 101.1x168.1 Hillside street; also purchased of William Topping, the six five-story double-flat houses. No. 528 to 538 West, 159th street, 100 feet from Amsterdam avenue.

Leonard Moody has sold in Brooklyn for J. B. Burnett to H. A. Hauf, the three-story and basement brownstone dwelling, 20x45x100, No. 30 Sterling blace, on private terms; also for J. H. Griebe, of L. Donahue, the three-story and basement brownstone dwelling, 20x45x100, No. 22 Seventh avenue, for \$10,000, and for E. A. Holmes to F. P. Sintth, the three-story and basement brownstone dwelling, 20x45x100, No. 100 Lafayette avenue, for \$10,000, and for E. A. Holmes to F. P. Sintth, the three-story and basement brownstone dwelling, 20x45x100, No. 100 Lafayette avenue, for \$10,000, and for E. A. Holmes to F. P. Sintth, the three-story and basement brownstone, for \$10,000, and for E. A. Holmes to F. P. Sintth, the three-story and basement brownstone dwelling, 20x45x100, No. 100 Lafayette

Real Estate Auction Sales.

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At the Broadway Salesroom yesterday Thompson & Prior sold No. 12 East 1302 street, near Fifth avenue, five-story brick flat house, lot 30x59.11, fore-closure, to Daniel P. Dennin for \$25,00.9.

William Kennelly sold No. 103 West Seventy-sixth street, near Columbus avenue, four-atory stone front dwelling, foreclosure, to Edward M. Wray, plaining, for \$26,300.

James L. Wells sold by order of executors two lots, each \$25x100, on East 135th street, 304.21 feet from the Southern Boulevard, to Ludwig & Co. for \$2,050 each; also two lots, each \$25x100, on East 135th street, adjoining the above, to John Entreties for \$1,750 ach; also two lots, each \$25x100, on East 135th street, adjoining the above, to R. J. Roomey for \$1,750 each; also two lots, each \$25x100, on East 135th street, adjoining the above, to Martin Tuerfor \$1,700 each; also two lots, each \$25x100, on East 136th street, adjoining the above, to Martin Tuerfor East 136th street, adjoining the above, to Martin Tuerfor East 136th street, adjoining the above, and four lots, each \$25x100, on 136th street, adjoining the above, to L. H. Day for \$1,600 each.

Court Calendars This Day.

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Appellate Division, Supreme Court—Nos. 40, 47, 48, 22, 46, 49, 50, 11, 19, 52, 54, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60.

Supreme Court—Special Term—Part I.—Motion calendar called at 10:30 A. M. Fart II.—Court opens at 10:30 A. M. Exparte matters. Fart III.—Clear. Divorces—Nos. 6359, 6360, 6360, 6361, 6362, 6384, 6386, 6379, 6381, 6382, 6383, 6384, 6385, 6389, 63879, 6381, 6382, 6383, 6384, 6385, 6389, 63879, 6381, 6382, 6183, 6383, 6384, 6385, 6389, 63879, 6381, 6382, 6183, 6384, 6385, 6389, 63879, 6381, 6382, 6183, 6384, 6385, 6389, 63879, 6381, 6382, 6183, 6383, 6384, 6385, 6389, 63879, 63871, 6159, 6142, 6161, 5096, 5791, 6102, 6105, 7014, City Court-special ferm-Court opens at 10 A. M. Motions at 10:80 A. M.-Parts L. II., III., and IV.-Ad-lourned sine dis.

Financial.

Northern Pacific Railway Co., 35 WALL STREET. NEW YORK, February 5, 1898.

Northern Pacific Railroad and Land Grant General First Mortgage Sinking Fund Six Per Cent. Gold Bonds. Holders of bonds of the above issue are hereby given an opportunity to convert the same into Prior Lien 4 per cent. Houds of the Northern Pacific Rail-way Company, on the barks of

51,225 Prior Lien Bonds for each \$1,000 General First Mortgage Bonds. This offer will ferminate in Murch 15, 1898.

Should this Company decide to continue conversions after that date, the terms therefor will then be announced. announced.

General Pirst Morigage Bonds for conversion should be deposited with Mesers. J. P. Morgan & Co., corner Wail and Broad Sts., New York City. NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY,

By C. S. MELLEN.

TO THE HOLDERS OF CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND & PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY 5% FIRST MORIGAGE, EXTENSION & COLLATERAL BONDS.

5% DEBENTURE BONDS. In connection with the proposed issue of new General Mortgage 4 per cent. 90-Year Gold Donds of the

Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Raliway Company, R. R. Cable, Esq., President of that Company, makes the following statement in a letter to us, dated January 22d, 1898: "We have entered into an agreement with you for the sale of about \$32,000,000 of Chicago, Re-

and Pacific Railway Company NEW GENERAL MORTGAGE 4 PER CEXT, DO-YEAR GOLD BOXDS, to be tasued for the purpose of retiring:

\$40,712,080 5 per cent. First Mortgage, Extension and Collateral Bonds. \$4,500,000 5 per cent. Debenture Bonds. \$5,000,000 7 per cent. Chicago and Southwestern Rallway Co. First Mortgage Bonds, due November 1, 1899.

"The bonds so sold to you are part of an authorized issue for an aggregate principal sum of \$100,000,000, to be made by the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Rallway Company, dated January 1st, 1898, payable January 1st, 1988; the remainder of the new bonds authorized are to be issued hereafter in the manner and for the purposes specified in the mortgage, and are to bear interest at a rate not to exceed 5 per cent, per annum, payable semi-annually, January 1st and July 1st; both principal and interest being payable in United States Gold Coin of the present standard of weight and fineness, without deduction for any tax or taxes which the Railway Company may be required to pay, or to retain therefrom under any present or future laws of the United States of America, or of any State, County, or Municipality therein. The bonds will be secured by a

morrgage which is satisfactory to your counsel, and will be executed by the Railway Company, after ratification by the Stockholders at a meeting called for February 15th, 1898.

"The XEW MORRGAGE provides that none of the existing bonds shall be extended at maturity, but that they shall be retired, so that thereafter the NEW BIONES will be secured by a First Mortgage on all the railroad property and real estate of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway Company, including its railroad, terminals at Chicago and other points and equipment; and also its leases, all as is more fully

"The NEW HONDS, in excess of the amount used to retire-the existing bonds of the Chicago, Rock lained and Pacific Railway Company, and the outstanding obligations of such other companies whose rail Island and Pacific Railway Company, and the outstanding obligations of such other companies woise rail roads now connect with, and shall hereafter be acquired by consolidation or purchase by, the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad Company (the amount for the latter purpose, however, not to exceed \$5,500,000) as authorized in the mortgage, are to be issued only for the improvement or extension of, or for additions to the property covered by the mortgage, at a rate not to exceed \$1,000,000 par value per year (except that bonds up to an aggregate amount of \$2,000,000 par value may be issued at the option of the Railway Company for the betterment or increase of the Company's properties).

"Upon ratification of the new mortgage the Chicago, Book Island and Pacific Railway Company intends to exercise its privilege of redemption at 105 per cent, and accrued interest, as follows: The S PER CENT. PIRST MORTGAGE EXTENSION AND COLLATERAL MONDS to be paid on

The 5 PER CENT, DEBENTURE BONDS to be paid on September 1st, 1898. INTEREST WILL CEASE ON DATE BONDS ARE THUS PAID. In connection with your offering of the new 4 per cent. General Mortgage Bonds of this Company, I

The Capital Stock of the Company on March Sist, 1897, was..... The net income of the Company for the fiscal year ending March Stat. 1897, after deduction of rentals and all other charges was \$4,765,121 27
The interest on the Bonded Debt was \$3,821,525 00 "By the proposed plan of refunding, the ANNUAL INVEREST CHARGES WILL BE REDUCED,

upon the retirement of the 5 per cent. First Mortgage Extension and Collateral Bonds, the 5 per cent. Deben-ure Bonds, and the Chicago and Southwestern Railway 7 per cent. Bonds from \$3,891,595 to \$2,894,-904, an ANNUAL SAVING OF \$496,621.

"The Net Earnings for the nine months ending December 81st, 1897 (December estimated), show an INCREASE OF 81,528, 198.24 over the corresponding period of 1896. "The Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Ballway Company has regularly paid cash dividends in each year since the organization of the Company in 1880, amounting in the aggregate to \$33,938,465."

Referring to the above letter, and subject to ratification of the new mortgage by the stockholders, we offer until FEHRUARY 17th, 1898 (unless the amount is exhausted earlier),

\$25,000,000 OF THE NEW GENERAL MORTGAGE 4 PER CENT. 90-YEAR GOLD BONDS to the holders of the Five per cent. First Mortgage, Extension and Collateral Bonds and the Five per cent Debenture Bonds, in exchange for their existing Bonds, at the price of

103% PER CENT. AND ACCRUED INTEREST,

For every \$1,000 5 per cent. First Mortgage, Extension and Collateral Bond, to be deposited, with July 1st, 1898, Coupon attached, the Holder will receive \$1,000 new 4 per cent. Bond, with July 1st, 1895, Coupon attached, together with a CASH PAYMENT (at the time of delivery of the new Bond) of \$18.38, representing the difference between 105 per cent. and 10312 per cent. and the difference in interest between 4 per cent. and 5 per cent. per annum from January 1st to

For every \$1,000 5 per cent. Debenture Bond (to'be deposited ex the March 1, 1898, Counon) the Holder will receive \$1,000 new 4 per cent Bond, with July 1, 1898, Coupon attached, together with a CASH PAYMENT (at the time of delivery of the new Bond) of \$13.33, representing the difference between 105 per cent. and 103½ per cent., viz.: \$15, less the amount due for dif-ference in interest, \$1.67, calculated as follows: Interest accrued on new 4 per cent. Bond, due by Holder:

Interest accrued on Debenture 5 per cent. \$13.38

March 1st to May 1st, at 5 per cent. Bond, due to Holder:

Interest difference heart and per cent. \$2.30 Interest difference between 4 per cent. and 5 per cent. due to Holder: Difference in interest deducted as above.....

The CENTRAL TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK is prepared to receive, on our behalf, deposit of the above existing Bonds for exchange as above provided, and will issue therefor its receipts, showing the description and amount of existing Bonds deposited and the amount of new Bonds and cash to which the holder will be entitled. As soon as the new Bonds are legally issued, and delivered to us by the Railway Company, due notice will be given thereof, and thereafter upon presentation and surrender of their respective receipts, the holders will be entitled to receive from the CENTRAL TRUST COMPANY the said new Bonds and the cash pay-

If, for any reason, the Raliway Company shall not have delivered the proposed new Bonds on or before the first day of July, 1898, then and in such event the existing bonds deposited with the CENTRAL TRUST COMPANY of the amount and description stated in the receipts will be returned to the respective Holders

Applications to exchange will be granted in the order of their receipt.

The above offer is made concurrently in Frankfort o-M. by Mr. Laz. Speyer Ellissen, and la London by Messrs. Speyer Brothers.

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NEW YORK, January 27th, 1898.

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Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad Company,

MATURING NOVEMBER 1, 1898.

REFERRING TO OUR OFFER OF PEBRUARY 1ST, 1808, TO REPUMB THE ABOVE REPERRING TO OUR OPPER OF PROBUGARY 13T, 18DS, TO REPURD THE ABOVE KOTES INTO THE 4 PER CENT. GENERAL MORTGAGE GOLD GONDS OF THE ATCHISON, TOPEKA AND SANTA PE RAILWAY COMPANY, ON THE BASIS OF 55,600 IN 4 PER CENT. BONDS WITH COUPONS DUE APRIL 1ST ATTACHED, FOR EVERY \$5,000 OF 6 PER CENT. NOTES, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIS OPPER WILL BE WITHDRAWN ON MARCH IST NEXT. AN OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE POSITION OF THE COMPANY AND DETAILS OF OUR OFFICE CAN BE OBTAINED UPON APPLICATION AT THE OFFICE OF THE GUARANTY

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